## **DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**

Dental Detachment, U. S. Army Dental Activity Fort Huachuca, Arizona 85613-7040

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MEMORANDUM FOR All U.S. Army Dental Activity Military Personnel

SUBJECT: Policy Letter 99-07, Reenlistment/Retention Program

- 1. REFERENCES: AR 601-280, Total Retention Program
- 2. SCOPE: This policy applies to all military personnel assigned or attached to the Fort Huachuca Dental Activity.

## 3. POLICY:

- a. As Detachment Commander, I am greatly interested in the Army Retention Program. It is Department of the Army policy that only those soldiers who have demonstrated potential for future development and have maintained a record of acceptable performance will be offered the privilege of reenlisting. I am dedicated to this policy and will support it with all my efforts.
- b. All eligible soldiers are encouraged to talk with the DENTAC Career Counselor, Detachment Reenlistment NCO, or myself about your reenlistment goals. This should be done in a timely manner prior to your Expiration Term of Service (ETS) so that we can determine your qualifications and assist you in your reenlistment options.
  - c. To encourage individuals to reenlist, I have established the following incentives:
- (1) All soldiers who reenlist will be authorized a special 4-day pass within the guidelines of AR 600-8-10. The dates will be coordinated with the soldier's NCOIC/OIC.
  - (2) All soldiers who reenlist will be taken off all duty rosters for 30 days.
- (3) Soldiers will normally be authorized to take up to 30 days leave, based on their section's mission requirements and the soldier's leave balance.
- d. I encourage everyone within the DENTAC to join this effort in identifying and encouraging qualified young soldiers who are eligible to reenlist.

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4. Point of contact for this matter is the undersigned at 533-3146 / 3144.

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